CHAPTER 35.

CHRIS. H. LOGAN, RECORDER OF LYON COUNTY.

AN ACT to Legalize the Acts of Chris. H. Logan, Recorder of Lyon s. F. 57. county, Iowa, done and performed by J. K. P. Thompson, whether under the style of Attorney in Fact of said Recorder or as Deputy Recorder of said county.

WHEREAS, Chris. H. Logan was, on the 14th day of October, Preamble. 1873, duly elected to the office of county recorder of Lyon county,

Iowa, and duly qualified as provided by law; and,

WHEREAS, On the 1st day of January, 1874, the said Chris. H. J. K. P. Thompson Logan appointed J. K. P. Thompson his deputy, and gave the deputy. said Thompson authority to sign his name to the filing of instruments of record as well as the record, by giving the said J. K. P. Thompson a power of attorney; and,

WHEREAS, The said J. K. P. Thompson entered upon the duties Acted as deputy. thus conferred upon him by virtue of said appointment, on the 1st day of January, 1874, and continued to act in that capacity

for one year; and,

WHEREAS, The said J. K. P. Thompson in the discharge of the signed records. duties as such deputy recorder signed the records of said county as follows: "Chris. H. Logan, Recorder, by J. K. P. Thompson,

attorney in fact"; and,

WHEREAS, At the January, 1880, session of the board of super-Resolution of visors of said Lyon county, the following resolution [was] adopted: visors. "Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Lyon county, in regular session assembled, that we deem it of vital importance to the property interests of the county, that the official acts of Chris. H. Logan as recorder of this county, by his deputy and attorney in fact, J. K. P. Thompson, be legalized by an act of the legislature, and would therefore ask our senator and representative to use their influence in bringing about such a result"; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts exist as to the legality of the acts of Chris. H. Logan by his deputy, J. K. P. Thompson, while acting as recorder of Lyon county; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the acts of Chris. H. Logan, recorder of Lyon Logalizing county, by his attorney in fact, or deputy, J. K. P. Thompson, clause. from the 1st day of January, 1874, to the 1st day of January, 1875, wherein the said Thompson signed any records, or filing of instruments of record as attorney in fact, be and the same are hereby declared legal, valid, and binding in law, for all purposes, expressed or intended, the same as if said records and filing of instruments had been signed by the said Chris. H. Logan, as recorder.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Rock Rapids Review, a newspaper published at Rock Rapids, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved, March 12, 1880.

CHAPTER 36.

HIGHWAY TAXES.

H F. 171. AN ACT in Relation to Highway Taxes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Auditor to keep a column showing road districts. Section 1. That it shall be the duty of the auditor to provide a column, which shall show the road districts to which the highway taxes belong, as transmitted by the township clerks, according to section 975 of the Code of 1873.

Duty of treasurer. Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of the county treasurer, when he pays to the township clerks highway taxes, according to section 976, to furnish at each time and to each clerk, a statement showing the road district or districts to which it belongs.

Approved, March 12, 1880.

CHAPTER 37.

TO LEGALIZE SALE OF SCHOOL LAND.

H. F. 156.

AN ACT to Legalize the Sale of Certain School Land by the Auditor of Tama County, Iowa.

Preamble.

Whereas, On the 10th day of January, A. D. 1873, the auditor of Tama county, after due notice, and after having the same appraised, did sell at public sale the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section number thirty-four (34), in township number eighty-four (84) north, range number fifteen (15) west of the 5th P. M., to one Benjamin Bruner, at and for the price of two hundred and four dollars; and,

Description of land sold by auditor of Tama county.

Whereas, Said land was duly appraised prior to said sale, and the value thereof fixed at one hundred and seventy-five dollars; and,